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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

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For: DIELECTRIC CERAMIC AND CERAMIC

ELECTRONIC COMPONENT

Examiner: K. E. Group

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2005 there are no amendments in this response.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

FEE CALCULATION

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

____ If checked, Small Entity status is claimed

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